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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant for Information, DDA


SUBJECT : CIA Action on NSSM 229

REFERENCE : Memorandum from Assistant for Information,
DDA, dated 11 September 1975, Same Subject

1. As requested, the Office of Security has reviewed Appendix A and Appendix B of the 17 May 1972 National Security Council Directive Governing the Classification, Downgrading, Declassification and Safeguarding of National Security Information.

2. We have no suggestions concerning the requirements of the appendices. However, it is recommended that the appendices (in fact the Executive Order itself) would be more precise if they set out a formalized definition for classified information and material reflecting that this categorization pertains to anything (documents, film, equipment, tapes, computer storage devices) whose subject matter requires protection against unauthorized disclosure in the interest of the national defense or foreign relations of the United States.

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